

### Street and Delivery to Canadian Authorities.

We learn from the Times that the Sheriff of Kent county, in Canada, together with officer Sprague, yesterday arrested a man accused of having stolen \$2,000 from a colored woman in Chatham. On searching him they found \$1,800 of the money scattered about his person. He was taken across the river and delivered to her Majesty's officers, to be sent to Chatham. We are informed that this man formerly owned the woman whom he had robbed, and had sold her on two occasions while living at the south; that she finally obtained her freedom and removed to Illinois, where she purchased a small farm and where he, having become poor in circumstances, came and lived with her as her husband; that to get rid of him, she sold her farm at a large advance on its cost, and removed to Chatham, where he again overtook her, and after living with her a short time she was taken ill, when he robbed her of her money, found on him when arrested here. The facts connected with the above case exhibit one of those rare vicissitudes of life, wherein the slave becomes the master of its former owner.

### A Mail Robber.

The Nashville papers contain such particulars as to leave no doubt that John F. Leavy, the special agent for Kentucky and Tennessee, has been committing frequent depredations on the mails. The crime of any one is painful enough; but for one respectably connected and carefully reared, and who has been known from childhood, to fall into such an abyss, is doubly distressing. Leavy is the brother-in-law of Hon. C. S. Morehead, and not one of the Kentucky Senators, as has been stated in the papers.—[Louisville Times.]

As life is a day's journey, and we all are travelers, and bound to "put up" somewhere, it would be well for us to look out beforehand, that comfortable lodgings are secured when our trip shall be cut short by the blight of death. Money won't give us a pick of the chambers in the mansion of our Father above.

A few drops of kreosote on brown paper, put in holes of rats, will drive them away. Nux-vomica and meal is a sure poison.

## FRESH FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS RIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL!!! SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES. COLLINS & BREED MAIN STREET, HANNIBAL, MISSOURI

Call the attention of purchasers generally to their carefully selected fresh and FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS.

Which we have just received. They refer particularly to their stock of EMBROIDERIES—Of real French work; Collars, with and without points; Under Sleeves; Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs; Edgings and Insertings; Transferring Bands; Chemisettes; Capes; also, some beautiful South Sea Collars. This stock is one of the most complete ever brought to this city. DRESS GOODS—Prints, Ginghams, Jaconets and Lawns; Hosiery of Laines, Tissues, plain and figured French Chemises for children; Summer de Laines, Alpacaes, Poplins, &c. DRESS SILKS—A selection of the most elegant fashionable styles, among which are the plain colored Poul-de-Soies, so much in demand; also a variety of Black Silks, of all widths and prices. BONNETS AND RIBBONS—A Superior Selection, and cheaper than the same styles were ever sold before.

GENTLEMEN'S WEAR—Casimeres, Linens, Draw D'Ete, Vestings, and Cottonades, of the newest styles also a fine assortment of Children's Goods, such as Cashmeres, Tweeds, &c. STAPLES AND SUNDRIES—Domestics, Checks, Hickory, Chambrays, Nankeens, Curtain Muslins, Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Hosiery, Flannels, Swiss and Jaconet Muslins, Irish Linen, Ladies' Skirts, Felt Mitts and Gloves, Parasols and Fans.

BOOTS AND SHOES—We wish to call the attention of the Ladies to our stock of Ladies' Shoes. We have some of the finest and latest styles custom made. We have also an excellent stock of Men's Children's Shoes and Boots, from the finest to the coarsest.

HATS AND CAPS—Gentle fine Silk Hats, all prices and Spring Styles, Panama, Leghorn, Citizen and Palm Leaf Hats, Gent's and Boys'.

QUEENWARE AND GLASSWARE—Of the newest Patterns and Styles. CARPETS—We have a lot of Ingrain, three ply, and star carpeting, which we will sell at St. Louis prices. COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND MILLINERS—Will find in this stock many styles not to be found in Wholesale Houses, and as they were all selected from the Importers, in the East, will be sold at such prices as cannot fail to give entire satisfaction. Call and examine the Goods before purchasing elsewhere—even if you do not buy, we will be pleased to show them. [ap-11-4-ly] COLLINS & BREED.

## A Great Reduction in the Prices of DRY GOODS.

And in all the different kinds of Goods usually kept in Hannibal!!!

We have just received the LARGEST AND THE MOST TASTY STOCK of all kinds of Goods ever brought to this city, and will sell them cheaper than we have ever seen Goods of the West of New York City. We will sell to all of our old friends, goods on as reasonable terms as can be bought in St. Louis.

Wholesale or Retail!

Don't believe a word until you come and see for yourselves, for Prices here have Declined. We have a very Large Lot of

Carpeting of all Shades and Qualities!!!

Boots and a large and tasty assortment of Ladies' Shoes of all kinds. Parasols, all colors and Prices; Bonnets, Cheap, Dress Silk from \$3.50 per yard, down to Changeable Silks for 75 cents per yard; a very fine assortment of Lawns; Hosiery of Laines; Hats, Caps, and a

LARGE LOT OF CLOTHING.

Of a Superior Quality and Neatness—Cut to fit every person. Some Merchants will tell you Goods have raised ten per cent., but Goods have fallen at least fifteen per cent. [ap-11-4-ly] E. A. G. W. HAWKINS' CHEAP STORE.

### "An Army with Banners."

As you are whirled along over the Hudson River Railroad at the rate of forty miles an hour, you catch a glimpse, every minute or two, of a man waving something like a white pocket handkerchief on the end of a stick, with a satisfactory sort of expression of countenance. If you take the trouble to count, you will find that it happens some two hundred times between East Albany and Thirty-First street. It looks like rather a useless ceremony, at first glance, but it is a pretty important one nevertheless.

There are 225 of these "flag men" stationed at intervals along the whole length of the line. Just before a train is to pass each one walks over his "beat," and looks to see that every track and tie, every tunnel, switch, rail, clamp and rivet, is in good order and free from obstruction. If so, he takes his stand with a white flag and waves it to the approaching train as a signal to "come on"—and come on it does, at full speed. If there is anything wrong, he waves a red flag, or at night a red lamp, and the engineer on seeing it, promptly shuts off the steam, and sounds the whistle to "put down the brakes." Every inch of the road is carefully examined after the passage of each train. Austrian espionage is hardly more strict.—[Alb. Journal.]

### REASON WHY COFFEE IS NOT WELL MADE.

—1st. The berries are frequently too much and too rapidly roasted, their proper color being that of cinnamon. 2d. The coffee is ground too fine. 3d. Not enough coffee is used. 4th. It is usually overboiled, by which means the bitter principle is extracted from the berries, and little or no pains are taken to clarify it.

### LOST! A GOLD PEN, WITH SILVER CASE.

THE finder will be liberally rewarded, if he will leave it at this office, or at the Arrena Mill. (ap-15-d-3t)

Spectacles! Spectacles! Spectacles!!! JUST received at COHEN'S, an assortment of near sighted SPECTACLES, to suit. (ap-11-d-3t)

J. H. & T. A. McLEOD, D. ATTORNEYS AT LAW. HANNIBAL, MO. (ap-11-d-3m)

PIANO FORTES!!! THE undersigned has just received an assortment of PIANO FORTES, and can furnish any pieces that may be desired. WM. COHEN. West side of Main, between Bird and Hill. (mch16-d2w)

SEALED PROPOSALS. Will be received until the 16th of April for excavating Craig's Alley, opposite Block 33, starting from Schneider's store house, thence down Craig's Alley about one hundred yards; dirt to be taken to Centre street, and on the Levee, between Centre and Rock streets. For particulars, enquire of J. T. DAVIS, Street Commissioner. Hannibal, April 7th, 1853. (dwtd)

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. The Free Will Baptists will hold a protracted meeting at the new Union Meeting House, on the Plank road about half way between Hannibal and New London—commencing next Saturday, at 12 o'clock.

### TOBACCO PREMIUMS. PLANTERS' WAREHOUSE, ST. LOUIS, MO.

THE regular Annual Premiums for the four best hogheads of tobacco, the growth of this State, will be awarded on Friday, 17th June next, as follows: For the first premium bhd. manufacturing tobacco, \$70 " second " " " 35 " first " " shipping " 50 " second " " " 25 The Judges will, as formerly, be selected by the Planters, or their agents. It is desirable that tobacco intended for competition, should be shipped so as to arrive in St. Louis a week previous to the day of sale and be marked "Premium." All tobacco consigned to us will be covered by our policy of insurance, by writing "insured" on the bill of lading, at \$75 per bhd., where no particular is specified. BERTHOUD & SON, Proprietors. (ap-14-d&w-2m)

### JOHN S. THOMSON, WHOLESALE GROCER.

Nos. 30 and 32 Second street, near Post Office. 1853. St. Louis, Mo. 1853. HAS in store and is in receipt of the following desirable stock of Groceries, which is offered at the lowest market rates for prompt pay: 600 bbls N. O. and C. & F. sugar, 300 bbls C. & F. do, 15 bbls linseed oil, 100 bbs chocolate, 200 bbs fire crackers, 50 kegs bar lead, 500 bags drop shot, 100 do buck shot, 1000 reams cap and letter paper, 3000 do wrapping do, 100 reams tea paper, 100 bbs lemon syrup, 1000 bags dairy salt, 1000 do G. A. do, 200 do L. B. do, 600 doz 2-hoop buckets, 200 do 3-hoop do, 100 doz half buckets, 300 nests p'd tubs, 3 & 5 each, 100 doz zinc wash boards, 150 bbs clothes pins, 25 doz well-buckets, 300 bbs block matches, 200 bbs Roman matches, 100 bbs oakum, 200 bbs butter and water crackers, 100 do pitch, 100 bbs rosin, 250 bbs clay pipes, 100 do stone do, 25 cases g'd Turk pipe-heads, 25 bbls pearl barley, 200 demijohns, 1 to 5 gallons, 100 cks rice, 10 bbls split peas, 20 bbs British lustre, 100 bbs double refined salaratus, 10 cases Scotch ale, 25 bbs Mason's blacking, 200 half bbls city and La. S. H. molasses, 400 chests h'l green and black teas, 400 bbs do do, 100 pks golden syrup, 500 bbs Va and Mo. tobacco, 300 bbs cut smok'g tobacco, 100 do cut chewing do, 100 bbs yellow bank do, 25 do Spanish smok'g do, 100 jars Macaboy snuff, 2 bbls Scotch do, 50 M regalia cigars, 20 M principle do, 50 M Havana do, 300 boxes meles do, 200 boxes Cuba and Havana sixes do, 1000 pks M. R. raisins, 3000 drums Elme figs, 50 cases Zante currants, 50 hails dates, 50 cases prunes, 50 cases do, in glass, 100 bbls S. S. almonds, 25 do H. S. do, 25 do filberts, 25 bbls English walnuts, 25 do cream nuts, 4000 kegs nails, 4 to 6d, 500 do blued 2 and 3d nails, 500 do fence do 6, 8 and 10, 350 do brad do, 6, 8 and 10, 100 do finishing do, 6, 8 and 10, 100 do wrought do, do, 75 do spikes, 4 to 7 in, 150 bbs tacks, 4 to 14 oz, 500 bags cotton yarn, 200 do dozen do, 150 bags white carpet warp, 100 do cold do, do, 400 bales batting, 300 do candle wick, 300 do wrapping twine, 500 bbs mackerel, 1, 23, and 300 half bbs mackerel, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, 100 bbs roe herrings, 600 bbs sealed do, 50 cks Eng. coffee, 50 do Grand Bank do, 1200 bbs codfish, 100 lbs each, 20 bbls No. 1 salmon, 200 cans Baltimore Cove oysters,

### RAILROAD DEPOT LOCATED!

It is not yet determined where. But C. W. BRYAN wants \$10,000 in Gold, At the St. Louis Store, for which he will give in exchange, Filley's Celebrated Charter Oak and Pioneer Cook Stoves, At the Lowest Cash Price. St. Louis Store, Main Street, two doors North of the Brady House. C. W. BRYAN. (mch22-d-w6m)

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

HANNIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the undersigned in the city of Hannibal, Missouri, until the Twentieth day of April, for the graduation, masonry and bridging of twenty-five miles of said road, extending West from Hannibal. Proposals will also be received at our office in the city of St. Joseph, Missouri, until the tenth day of May, for the graduation, masonry and bridging of twenty-five miles additional extending east from St. Joseph. The remainder of the line, extending a distance of over one hundred and fifty miles will be placed under contract as soon as the same can be prepared by the engineers. This line embraces some very heavy excavations and embankments and several large bridges. Plans, profiles and specifications will be ready at each place one week previous to the letting. DUFF & LEARNED, Contractors, Hannibal, Mo., March 14, 1853. [mch16-dw6m]

### DON'T READ THIS!

WE the undersigned, having used Giles F. Filley's Celebrated "Charter Oak" Air-Tight Cooking Stove, manufactured by Filley of St. Louis, and sold by C. W. BRYAN, of Hannibal, Mo., take pleasure in recommending them to the public as superior in construction, economy of fuel, convenience and ease of use, to any Air-Tight Cook Stove which we ever seen used. F. Robinette, John Partridge, William Shoot, P. Beatty, J. P. Clark, (Apr-7-d-ly.)

TERMS OF ADVERTISING IN THE DAILY JOURNAL. First insertion, Five Cents a Line; Each Insertion afterwards, Two and a Half Cents a line. Advertisements will be published from six to twelve days at Two Cents a line for each insertion, including the first.

JUST RECEIVED, And for sale, "Good Building" corner of ALI KIN, "GARDEN SEEDS"—Onion sets, Blue grass, clover seeds; Clover seeds by the barrel or bush; a general assortment of Groceries, Wooden and Willow Ware, Brooms, Cotton Yarns; Cotton batting. All kinds of Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Figs, and a host of articles not mentioned here; Likewise, a thousand things that is not here for sale. Anxious to sell for CASH UP AND THE MONEY DOWN. Like to forget one thing, the Eagle Mills flour is here, too! mar16dtf T. JACKSON.

Jewelry. Just received, a large stock of Jewelry, at the JEWELRY STORE. Purchasers will do well to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. WM. COHEN.

### BRADY HOUSE.

CAPT. A. S. ROBARDS, formerly of the State of Kentucky, having taken the Brady House in the City of Hannibal, Mo., for a term of years, would respectfully solicit a liberal share of Public patronage. He would not make any extraordinary promises, but he wishes so to conduct the House, as to make it deserve the patronage which he hopes it will receive. Having a general acquaintance through this and the adjoining States, he will take pleasure in communicating such information to travelers as they may desire. Hannibal being the point of embarkation, for a large portion of the travel to and from the country bordering on the Missouri River. He will at all times be prepared to accommodate the travelers with horses, carriages and wagons, &c., as means of conveyance to any distant point. April 7th, 1852. mch21dtf

### Flour! Flour! Flour! Arrena Mill.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS coming to Hannibal with the intention of selling wheat and buying flour, would do well to call and see us before selling or purchasing elsewhere. Remember the big stone Mill on Bird, between Main and Third streets. Give us a call. A. S. ROBARDS & SON. N. B. Our Flour is sold nowhere else but at the Mill. Every sack and barrel is branded with our name on it. mch21dtf "A. S. ROBARDS & SON."

### Cheapest and Best Writing Ink.

L. T. BRITTINGHAM & BRO. are now manufacturing Black Writing Ink of a superior quality, which they sell very cheap—thirty cents a dozen cones, or five cents a pint. Steel pens may be left standing in this ink any length of time without corroding. P. S.—At wholesale, they will sell it at \$10 a barrel. [mch-23-d-4t]

2,000 POUNDS OF OLD COPPER Wanted For which the highest price will be paid in cash, at the "St. Louis Store." mch14dtf C. W. BRYAN.

### New Boot and Shoe Manufactory!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes this method of informing his old customers, friends and the public generally, that I have again commenced the manufacture of Boots and Shoes of the very best material. Persons wishing articles in my line will do well to give me a call, before purchasing elsewhere, as my stock is well selected, comprising the best article of French and American calf skins, ditto kip, ditto upper, all of which I will make to order at the shortest notice. Shop on Hill street, a few doors east of Selmer's Store. RICHARD FITZPATRICK. P. S.—I will keep constantly on hand an assortment of fine calf boots, kip boots; also, coarse boots and shoes, which I will warrant to be of the very best quality. [mch16-dimwtf] R. F.

### AT THE Philadelphia Clothing Store, In Commercial Row.

IS A VERY SUPERIOR lot of Clothing, of latest styles suitable for Spring and Summer wear. The prices are very low, and as the goods are all well selected, and of good material, purchasers cannot fail to be suited. We have Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Carpet Bags, Ladies' Shoes, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Gloves, &c.—Chiefly Clothing, but a little of everything else. I consider it no trouble to show goods, and would be pleased to wait on the people, and be their obedient, humble servant, so far as offering inducements for their pleasure is concerned. B. CRANSTON, Agent. mch20 d3m

PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the Secretary of the St. Louis and Hannibal Road Company, (which office is at the house of Mr. Thomas Smith, Kinderhook, Illinois) and also at the office of the Treasurer of said Company at Hannibal, Missouri, until Saturday, the 9th of April next, for the Cutting and Hauling of a sufficient quantity of Pine-Oak Logs Eight feet and six inches long, to make two miles of Plank Road from the Hannibal ferry to the Bay. Also at the same time and place, will be received Proposals for the Sawing of said logs two inches and a half thick. Cash will be paid as the work progresses, exceeding twenty per cent. until the work is finished according to Contract. Bids for the Cutting and Hauling of the Logs must be taken from the Sawing. By order of the Board, LEWIS BROWN, Secretary. Pine County, March 31st, 1853.